## REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed April 20, 2006, Applicant is submitting this amendment to cure any deficiencies described in the aforesaid Notice. Specifically, Applicant has now used double brackets to delete text having five or fewer characters in the specification, claims and abstract.

Applicant submits that this amendment cures all deficiencies listed in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.

If there are any questions concerning this amendemnt, please call the undersigned at 203-467-7895.

Date: May 3, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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